

From: [Chen, Isaac](#)
To: [Erin O'Reilly](#)
Subject: RE: 201702022 multi-sale EIS
Date: Thursday, August 24, 2017 1:39:00 PM
Attachments: [R4 GP EFH 3-2016.pdf](#)

Thanks. Attached is R4's EFH Assessment.

From: Erin O'Reilly [mailto:erin.o'reilly@boem.gov]
Sent: Thursday, August 24, 2017 1:27 PM
To: Chen, Isaac <Chen.Isaac@epa.gov>
Subject: Re: 201702022 multi-sale EIS

I will look into this Isaac. I am more familiar with the biop than the EFH. I would double check that Region 4 really did their own. I am not sure if that is true. Anyway, I will double check with our biologists and get back to you.

Thanks,

Erin

On Thu, Aug 24, 2017 at 1:09 PM, Chen, Isaac <Chen.Isaac@epa.gov> wrote:

Erin,

It's about EFH assessment. R6 usually relies on BOEM's EFH assessment and consultation for our GMG290000 GP. Both BOEM and R4 prepared their own EFH Assessment. I heard that R4 has done their EFH consultation and received concurrence. I like to find out whether BOEM receives the concurrence or not. If yes, would you please send me a copy of the concurrence letter? Take how long for BOEM to get the concurrence letter? If EFH assessment is part of EIS, why EPA as a cooperating agency needs to do another EFH assessment for consultation. Thanks.

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From: Erin O'Reilly [mailto:erin.o'reilly@boem.gov]
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Hi Isaac. I am so sorry I missed your call. I hope you are doing well. I heard the Region 6 permit renewal process is moving along.

If you go to this link:

<https://www.boem.gov/GOM-Multisale-EIS/>

scroll down to almost the bottom of the page and you will see, under Final Programmatic EIS, a link to the NOA and then below it links to all three volumes of the EIS. It is right above where it says record of decision. You have to click on each volume separately.

Does that help? If not, please let me know.

Thanks,

Erin

On Mon, Jul 31, 2017 at 1:29 PM, Chen, Isaac <Chen.Isaac@epa.gov> wrote:

Erin,

I thought BOEM has issued the final EIS for the 2017-2022 multi-sales. But, I don't see the final document. Please advise. Thanks.

Isaac

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